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For : RADICALLY COUPLED PTFE POLYMER COMPOUNDS AND METHOD  
FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment**  
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Sir:

Prior to examination and calculation of filing fees of the above-identified patent application, entry of the following amendment is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.